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Effective.

SEC. 4. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 14, 1880.

## CHAPTER 374.

AN ACT to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors in Charles county, provided the qualified voters thereof shall so determine in the manner herein prescribed.

Not allowed to sell.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That no person, corporation, company or association shall be allowed, at any time, to sell by himself or itself, his or its clerk, servant or agent, directly or indirectly, any intoxicating liquors of whatever origin, except as hereinafter provided: and that wine, ale, porter, strong beer, lager beer, and all other malt liquors, and eider, and any compound or composition in which alcohol forms an ingredient, when kept or deposited with intent to sell the same for drinking tippling purposes, as well as all other distilled spirits, shall be considered as intoxicating within the meaning of this act; but that this enumeration shall not prevent any other pure or mixed liquors from being considered intoxicating; provided that cider made in said county from apples grown in said county, and wine made from grapes or berries grown in said county, and which shall have no alcohol added thereto, may be sold by the maker or makers thereof, on the premises where the same may be made.

Proviso.

Fine for violation. SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That if any person, corporation, company or association, by himself or itself, or by his or its clerks, servant or agent, directly or indirectly, shall sell intoxicating liquors in violation of the provisions of this act, he or it shall forfeit and pay, on the first conviction, a fine of not